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## LOCAL BREVITIES.

No more trips to Weingarten?  
Let the eagle scream loud and long.  
The hay crop is said to be quite satisfactory.  
Slow down the trucks on Main street, anyway, boys.  
The oil has absolutely eliminated the dust on Main street.  
A good attendance at "Tarzan of the Apes" Monday night.  
The new bank at Annapolis has not yet got ready for business.  
Ice cream social at the Baptist church, Pilot Knob, Saturday night.  
All the flavors of the Ozark Early Bloom in Macey's honey at Lopez's.  
F. Buechschuetz, the ice man at Middlebrook, has a new Ford truck.  
The wheat has about all been harvested. The yield, generally, is very good.

Vincent Sutton of Vulcan has been selected as cashier of the Bank of Annapolis.

After some very hot weather Saturday and Sunday were cool and delightful.

Wheat threshing in the valley began this morning at Howe's Morningthorpe Farm.

Manager Schafer says the Picture Show is the coolest place in town. Six oscillating fans.

A tramp occasionally these days. They have been rare visitors the past couple of years.

Mr. Lueddecke says there will be a few peaches this week and quite a lot in another week.

Two cents postage is all that your letters require now and cards again go for a penny.

With lard retailing at forty-five cents the shortening in the piecrust is likely to be very long.

James Russell, son of the late Chas. Russell, has quite a chicken ranch on the farm east of town.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Allen Henson, near Ironton, Friday, June 27, 1919, a boy. All well.

To Mr. Louis Macy of Munger we returns thanks for a jar of the Ozark Early Bloom Honey. It is fine.

The Girl's Glee Club gave a dance at the Valley Inn last Friday evening. The hours passed very pleasantly.

The Baptist Assembly convenes on Arcadia Heights next Monday evening and will be in session until July 20th.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Thompson of Bellevue visited Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Signer in Arcadia last Friday night.

Sergeant Reese has built some porches and otherwise improved the appearance of the Rieks home in north Ironton.

For Sale—28 pigs, from 30 to 50 lbs.; 3 brood sows; one sow with 8 pigs. Mrs. M. A. Chambers, 1 1/2 miles east of Pilot Knob, Mo.

Thos. Johnson is expecting a visit this week from a sister living in Jackson, Michigan, whom he hasn't seen in more than sixty years.

Verner Yount returned last Thursday night from an absence of two years in France. He has some interesting experiences to relate.

This is the season of the year when a hog pen in the city limits, unless it is given unusual care and attention, is an abomination and a nuisance.

Wm. Vondil came in from Redmondville Friday night and went on to St. Louis where Mrs. Vondil was reported to be in a rather serious condition.

Wanted—To hire by month, a riding and driving horse; must be gentle. Might buy if suited. Inquire at residence Mrs. J. P. Duncan, Arcadia, Mo.

Considerable blasting is being done these days in the mining in progress on Pilot Knob and crashee not unlike canonading resound through the Valley morning and evening.

The round trip rate from here to Toledo, Ohio, the scene of the big fight, July 4th, is advertised at \$28.70. We haven't heard of any sports from here contemplating the trip.

The De Soto Dairy, Ice & Supply Co., will furnish all the ice cream for both the Baptist Assembly and the M. E. Church, South, Encampment at Arcadia this summer.—De Soto Press.

A line from Mr. E. B. Dutton, formerly of Brule, this county, but who has been making his home in Detroit, Michigan, for some time, informs us that he is now located in Denver, Colorado.

Mrs. J. A. Reyburn was called to East St. Louis last Thursday by the death of her sister, Miss Addie Green. The deceased was 62 years of age and had been in poor health for some time. To the bereaved we extend our sympathy.

We hear that our former fellow citizen, Mr. F. E. DeWeese, but more recently of Poplar Bluff, is now in St. Louis, promoting a scheme of some kind to re-establish racing in that city.

Mrs. L. A. McKee has gone to Ohio to spend a month with her son and other relatives. The office of the Home Service Section of the Red Cross will be closed until her return, about August 1st.

Miss Stella Beardsley has entered the University of Missouri as a student for the summer term. On her way to Columbia she spent several hours as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Shoop in their beautiful home in Jefferson City.

Chas. E. Curtis, formerly of Ironton, is now manager of the De Soto Press, having recently purchased the interest of H. W. Harris in that sheet, who retires. Mr. Curtis has been an employee of the De Soto Republican for a number of years.

Louis Macey of Munger was a caller one day last week. Mr. Macey says we need in the valley some of the rain they have had in his section of the country recently. The past two weeks there were four inches of rain in the Munger country.

The REGISTER family is indebted to Dr. Marshall for a fine mess of roasting ears—the first of the season—presented last Monday. They were delicious and we are all "strong" for corn; we much enjoyed the Dr.'s thoughtfulness and generosity.

Fletcher & Barger can not get Ford cars fast enough to supply the demand. Two more car loads are on way and they are already sold. Among last week's purchasers were: Wm. Henson and A. P. Crow of Ironton, and J. A. Townsend of Bellevue.

Capt. Robert E. Wilkinson was in Ironton last Saturday on his way south on a trip in the interest of the Western Military Academy, Upper Alton, Ill. The Captain conveyed the pleasing intelligence that Mrs. Wilkinson, Miss Helen and Bob are all in good health.

Mr. E. E. Evans was here from Redmondville Sunday. He says that the lumber business is very good, but that the heavy rains in the west end of the county the past month or more have played havoc with the roads and interfered with the hauling of timber and lumber.

Mr. J. W. Clarkon arrived from Louisiana Sunday morning to spend a week with his family in Ironton. Walter says he ate supper Saturday evening in Shreveport, a few hours later boarded the Sunshine Limited at Texarkana, and was in Ironton Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. That's moving around pretty fast.

For Sale—The north half of north-east quarter of section 22, township 34, range 4 east, containing about 85 acres; 3 miles from Ironton; also lot 6, block 1, York's Addition, Arcadia Heights. Look at these; make offer; must sell. All legitimate offers considered. State terms desired. Address W. H. Egan, care Elks, Bedford, Va.

Recorder Hawkins issued the following marriage licenses the past week:

Orville D. Smith of Pana, Ill., and Eva Dewey of Ironton.

Thos. F. Maher and Esther Margaret Kuehner of St. Louis.

Wallace Hammett and Maurine Dennis of Bismarck.

Wm. H. Dennis of Bismarck and Pearl Martin of Iron Mountain.

Montra Stephens of Bellevue and Bertha Kirkpatrick of Peoria, Mo.

Geo. M. Johnson of Redmondville was in Ironton a couple of days the past week. George says the hub mill is running full time these days and has been for some time past. It was so dry in April that the farmers couldn't plow and the farmers hauled timber. It has been too wet to plow the past month so they hauled timber in June. In consequence the factory is well supplied with logs.

John Tiefenauer and family arrived here Saturday from Munger and Mr. Tiefenauer has been busy the past week getting ready to open up his baker shop in the Block building. Mr. Tiefenauer will open for business on Tuesday, July 1st. Mr. Tiefenauer has had a lot of experience as a baker, being employed at McKinneys and Heydt in St. Louis and later conducted a shop at Ironton.—Bismarck Gazette.

While in Centerville a few days since Ray Gastineau of Dry Valley informed the Outlook that his brother, Guy Gastineau, living on Dry Valley, has an orchard on which there are 1,800 Elberta peach trees, and that each tree is "loaded down" with peaches. Mr. Gastineau is now taking a part of the peaches off of the trees in order that the trees may be kept from breaking.—Centerville Outlook.

Millard Brooks arrived home from overseas last week. Millard was on board the transport Toscana, which was torpedoed by a German submarine and sunk off the Irish coast early in our participation in the war. Several were killed or injured when the Toscana went down, but Millard was fortunate enough to escape without injury. Millard was a member of

an Aero Squadron and spent several months in England.—Greenville Sun.

Attorney G. C. Stephens, Vice-President and General Manager of the Walnut Valley Stock Corporation, accompanied by R. M. Robottom, its treasurer, went to Annapolis last Friday, where they conferred with representatives of the Annapolis Lead Company relative to closing a deal for the mining interests of the Company, which has large holdings there adjoining the rich lead region owned by the Annapolis people.—Piedmont Banner.

The Iron Mountain has a steam shovel and a force of men at Mine La Motte at work moving the large chat dump near the mill which was recently bought from the Missouri Metals Corporation receiver. There are thousands of tons of the chats and they will be used by the railroad as ballast on the Belmont branch and also on the main line from St. Louis to Hoxie, Arkansas. It is expected that the removal of the chat will require a large force of men all summer.—Fredericktown Democrat-News.

Mill Dam on St. Francois river, a short distance above town, is out. Game Warden Sorrell of Bloomfield came up Friday and under his directions the masonry was blown away. The agitation for the removal of the dam came from fishermen above who wanted a chance at the fish. The dam was constructed a number of years ago by the old Catherine Lead Co. Granite boulders in the vicinity were used in its construction. For many years it has been a favorite swimming, fishing and outing spot.—Fredericktown Democrat-News.

On Saturday night, June 21st, at the home of Mr. J. L. Curtis, his son, Goulding, gave a delightful birthday party. Those present being Misses Margaret Curtis, Agatha London, Alma McKinney, Messrs. Goulding Curtis, Clifford Farmer, Clayborne London and Blanchard Tual. A very enjoyable evening was spent. The host served delicious ice cream and cake. At the 11 o'clock hour, after wishing the host many more enjoyable birthdays, the guests took their departure for home.

## TWO GUESTS.

Probate Judge Sam M. Brewster performed two marriage ceremonies in the office of Circuit Clerk Hawkins at the courthouse last Saturday at high noon. The contracting parties were Wallace Hammett and Nannie Dennis of Bismarck and Wm. H. Dennis of Bismarck and Pearl Martin of Iron Mountain. Both brides were under age and license was issued on consent and request of their parents. The bridegrooms were soldier boys, recently returned from service. The party made the trip to Ironton in gaily bedecked cars, with ribbons flying. After the ceremony they at once departed for Bismarck where a wedding dinner was in waiting. Happiness and prosperity to them!

William Hart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hart, arrived home Sunday after two years in his country's service, the last thirteen months of which were spent at Fort Logan, Denver, Colorado. William says that up to the time of the signing of the armistice he was a very busy man and worked harder than he ever did in his life. He was a cook and put in long hours every day. For one meal they would use a beef, some time two, twenty-five or thirty bushels of potatoes, four or five cases of eggs and other things in proportion. The cooks were kept on the run all the time. He enlisted in St. Louis April 7, 1917, and was discharged at Camp Euston last Saturday. Of course, he is glad to be at home again.

In the probate court Monday Judge Brewster awarded the care and custody of two of the children of Wm. C. and Jane McDowell, Aaron Joseph, aged 8, and Opie Margaret, 6, to the mother. The husband and wife have not been living together for some time and Mrs. McDowell recently made affidavit that the father, who was keeping the children with him, was not the proper person to have charge of them. The court ordered that the two older children, Laura Belle and Martha Ellen, should elect whether they should live with their father or mother. The father has lived in north Ironton for some time past. McDowell is not satisfied with the court's action and says he will take the case to another tribunal.

W. R. Allen writes us from St. Louis that at a recent meeting of the Touring Committee of the Auto Club it was practically decided that the annual tour would take place this fall, possibly early in October, and that he had been requested to find out the capacity of the hotels in Ironton and Arcadia as to the people who will be on the trip for possibly supper, bed and breakfast. Mr. Allen asks us to get this information for him. We ask all the hotel and boarding housekeepers to at once let us know the capacity of their houses so we may impart the desired information. Mr. Allen says that it has not yet been positively decided that Ironton or Arcadia will be made a night stopping place on the tour, but that he hopes the run will hit the valley any way.

Will our hotel keepers please supply us the information herein asked for without delay, so that we may advise Mr. Allen?

Rev. Baldridge returned this week from Arcadia where he has been for several days getting the Methodist Assembly grounds in shape for the opening of the Assembly July 24th. He tells us that the management will operate the dining hall, lunch stand, and other concessions and that every effort will be made to give the very best results to those who attend for the very least expense. The program will be issued within a few days and will offer some very attractive features. The best news connected with the institution is that arrangements are being made by which the south bound local freight on the main line will be held at Bismarck until the arrival of the north bound Belmont passenger. In returning, the north bound local will run to Bismarck in time for passengers to catch the south bound Belmont passenger. Heretofore visitors at Arcadia from here have had to stay over night at Bismarck both going and coming. This means that the number of Fredericktown people who regularly visit Arcadia will be greatly increased. No doubt the Baptist Assembly management will make the train arrangements that the Methodists are making.—Fredericktown Democrat-News.

Last Friday afternoon, chaperoned by Dr. Marshall, I paid a visit, perforce long deferred, to my young friend, Mr. Geo. W. Clarkson, at his beautiful home in Arcadia. He made us mighty comfortable there under the spreading oaks, with velvety green lawn and beautiful flowers to gladden the eye. The cooling breeze took from the midsummer sun its sting and the heavens were bathed in soothing blue, with white cloud-flocks leisurely sailing far above us. On every hand in the distance the heavy foliaged mountains girdled the scene, its northern gate guarded by Pilot Knob's towering peak. It is an old habit with me, this attempting to, in part at least, set forth the loving beauty of our Valley and it may become tiresome to you; but, sisters and brethren, I just can't help it. It is not singular that city visitors seek it as a haven of rest and recuperation: its pure air, its peace and quiet, must appeal to them in contrast to the turmoil and tainted atmosphere that attend urban existence. A few minutes after the Doctor and I had comfortably settled ourselves in two of the wicker rockers, behold! there came my old and esteemed friend, Wm. H. Thomson, now sojourning in his cherished Valley Home. With him came his son-in-law, Mr. Geo. Tracey, and for an all too fleeting hour we enjoyed the blessing that always descends upon men joined in friendly, congenial spirit. The toot of the chauffer's horn disgusted me, but it commanded obedience, and with hearty handshakes and mutual good wishes we separated, in the hope that the future may be as kind as that day. Eh? A mint julep! My dear reader, that's no concern of yours! Besides, if I were to mention such, I am by no means certain that in these waterful times it would not make me liable to prosecution. You'll just have to guess.

## PERSONAL.

O. M. Huff is in St. Louis. Miss Lily Bishop is home from Virginia.

Chas. J. Newman was in St. Louis last week.

Miss Mildred Marshall went to St. Louis Saturday.

Mrs. Dr. Blanks returned to Mexico, Mo., Saturday.

W. D. Fletcher and Billy went to St. Louis Monday.

Miss Maurine Barnhouse left Monday for Jefferson City to visit her father.

A. P. Schafer spent several days in St. Louis last week attending the national convention of moving picture men.

Mr. and Mrs. John Olsen arrived from Granite City, Ill., Tuesday to visit their daughter, Mrs. J. M. Hawkins.

Representative Keith went to Jefferson City Monday to attend the special session of the Legislature which convenes to-day.

Mrs. Chas. DeBileux and sons, Chas. and William, of Natchitoches, La., Mrs. Esther Hart and baby, Homer, of Alexandria, La., arrived in Ironton Monday to spend a couple of months.

## METHODIST MENTION.

### REGULAR SERVICES.

Fort Hill—Sunday School, 9:45 A. M.

Preaching, Sunday morning, 11.

Prayer Meeting, Tuesday, 8:00 P. M.

Union Church—Sunday School 9:45.

Preaching, Sunday night, 8.

Prayer Meeting, Wednesday, 8:00 P. M.

Choir Practice, Wednesday night, 8:30.

Epworth League, Sunday, 7:15 P. M.

Epworth League business meeting, Wednesday evening 8:30, parsonage.

Last Sunday at the appointed hour we met at the church and from there were taken to the Methodist Assembly Grounds, where the Sunday Schools rendered a very fine Children's Day Program, after which we had our preaching services. There was quite a crowd that gathered for the services and after the benediction had been pronounced the seats were moved back and the tables brought into place, and in a few minutes we were privileged to partake of one of those "good old-time" basket dinners. No doubt there was a blessing for all in the service and fellowship of the day.

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Last Wednesday evening, at eight o'clock, there were about 75 or 100 of the Methodists of the Valley who met at Union Church for a Church Conference and Lawn Social. However, owing to a thunder storm, we were not privileged to be on the lawn, but a very enjoyable social hour was spent in the church, during which the ladies served all present with dainty refreshments.

Next Tuesday afternoon beginning at four o'clock, the Methodist Church Choir will have a Lawn Ice Cream Social at the Union Methodist Church. They will serve you with delicious "Home Made" Ice Cream, Ices and Cakes. Everybody invited. Look for further announcements.

We invite you to all our services.

H. E. STONE, Pastor.

## Des Arc Items.

We had a fine rain last week. The wheat crop around Charleston and Sikeston was very poor. I saw several fields that they did not cut.

They have commenced threshing wheat. The cantaloupes and watermelons are very late. None on the market yet.

Rev. McBride finished a ten days' meeting here Sunday. He is the best Holiness preacher we ever had here. To show you how he is appreciated will say they raised \$125 for him the day he left. We hope he will come again. Rev. W. W. Strother attended the meeting. Walter has a position with the Gardner & Lucy Garage Company that keeps him busy all the time. I am glad he is among us again.

I was at Lilbourn, in New Madrid county, last week. Stevenson & Fitz are doing a nice business. They have had too much rain down there. Some of the corn was never worked; still in the weeds.

I was sitting on O. C. Lucy's porch, in Bismarck, last Sunday evening for about two hours, and, at least, 100 cars passed, going to and from Iron Mountain lake and Ironton while I was there.

I met my old friend, Jas. Paulus, in Bismarck. He looks well and was stopping with his daughter. He is 81 years old and at one time was the wealthiest man in Wayne county, but he has divided up with his children and is living a retired life.

I was at Annapolis. They have not yet unraveled the mystery connected with the death of Obrien Garrison, the young man whose body was recently discovered near there. The drills there are still running night and day.

A. K. Wallis received a car of ice Saturday from De Soto.

Rev. Brooks had the end of one finger cut off at the handle factory last week.

C. S. Fitz was home from Poplar Bluff Sunday.

Lee Dunn and wife from Sabula are attending the meeting here.

Jas. G. Chilton is here with a few horses.

Ray Stamp and Green Brooks were in St. Louis Friday on business.

I never go near a harvest field and see shocks of wheat but what I think of the battle of Gettysburg, which was fought on the 4th of July, and the wheat shocks stood thick on the field. The machine that had been used to cut the wheat was also there, but when the battle was over you could see no shocks at all; all torn down, and the machine wrecked.

Among those who attended the Holiness meeting here Sunday were: Sherman Baillard and wife, and

Barney Nichols and wife from Poplar Bluff, Grant Barnes and wife from Ellington and Will Seals and family from Piedmont.

Miss Florence Schmidt of this place and Mr. Carl Schober of St. Louis were married in St. Louis on Saturday, June 28th. They are now visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Maude Brewington and daughter, Clemma, came down from St. Louis Sunday to visit home folks.

Marvin Keathley and family of Lesterville spent Sunday with their parents here.

Miss Agnes Maddock of St. Louis is visiting her mother here.

Miss Helen Williams came down from St. Louis Monday to spend her vacation with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Fitz.

Mrs. Tom Bunyard of Piedmont and Mrs. Lou Collins of Springfield, Mo., were here last week visiting Mrs. H. G. Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Jackson received a message from their son, Jesse B., where he had landed in New York.

Roy Farris, who is in the service, is here visiting his father, John Farris.

Mrs. Ben Chilton, of Chilton, Mo., is visiting relatives here this week.

Luke White of Fredericktown attended the meeting here.

Miss Mable Lovelace of Ironton is visiting her relatives here.

Lacey Bunyard of Piedmont was in town one day last week visiting his aunt; he has recently been discharged from the army.

ISAAC.

## Baptist News and Notes.

The average attendance at the Bible School for May was 39 per cent. greater than in April, and in June seventeen per cent. greater than in May. The figures are encouraging, but we have not done our "best."

Our Master, as well as our country, is demanding the best. Next Sunday is the first in the third quarter. Let us start the quarter with a record-breaking attendance. Teacher, are you contented to say "I'll teach them if they come"? "Go out into the highways and hedges, and compel them to come in that my house may be filled."

The Young People's Union, with the aid of friends, has greatly improved the music in all our public worship. We thank the Lord, and then take courage.

Visitors, some of them entire strangers, are coming into the congregation from Sabbath to Sabbath. Let us greet them kindly and cause them to feel that they are welcome.

All the usual services next Lord's day.

A. B. BUSH, Pastor.

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